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Mrs. William H. Hinchliffe, 20 Myrtle St., Beverly, Mass., writes: "I have taken four bottles of Peruna, and I can say that it has done me a great deal of good for catarrh of the head and throat. I recommend Peruna to all sufferers with catarrh. I do not think I ever felt much better. I am really surprised at the work I can do. I do not think too much praise can be said for Peruna."

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## PEACE DELEGATION DENOUNCES WILSON

(Associated Press)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Wireless advice received last night from the peace ship Oscar II, signed by Henry Ford, and prepaid, tell of a mass meeting held on board last night at which extracts of the message of President Wilson to Congress were read by S. S. McClure, the publisher.

Some discussion followed during which Ellis O. Jones, a writer of New York, referred to the message as "reactionary," and said it should not be received in silence.

"We are going abroad now," he said, "on a mission to stop a terrible war among nations, every one of which is prepared in a military way. This is no time to disturb American traditions and prepare the United States for war."

Mr. Jones concluded with the remark that "this body of earnest, unselfish men and women should speak in no uncertain terms about this message."

A lengthy address by Dr. Charles F. Aked of San Francisco was included in the address received from the Oscar II. He told of some of the great events that had sprung from small beginnings, and referring to the present war, said that it could not go on forever.

"Who knows," he continued, "but that we ourselves may bring those diplomats and rulers and statesmen around their table face to face to talk things over quietly a little sooner than they would have done if Henry Ford had not brought us upon this ship."

"We make our appeal to that which is stronger than earth and is enduring as heaven, the principles of humanity, brotherhood, conscience, faith, and hope and love, and in this appeal we can not fail. I am as certain as I am of my own existence that a lasting good will come of it."

## FORMING A NEW SPANISH GOVERNMENT

(Associated Press)  
MADRID, Dec. 9.—Count Alvaro de Romanones was today chosen by King Alfonso to form a new Spanish government in succession to the late cabinet, which resigned on Monday.

## ELLA FLAGG YOUNG RETIRES

(Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, who has been identified with Chicago public schools for 53 years the last six as superintendent at \$10,000 a year, retired yesterday. She is 71 years old. Mrs. Young plans to leave immediately for Southern California, where she proposes to establish a home.

Farmers have discovered that a silo, under certain conditions, will distill whiskey. This, in dry states, may rock Prohibition to its foundations.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The statement was made at the recent convention of the American Poultry Association that the value of poultry interests in the United States now totals a billion dollars. This does not include, we understand, the musical comedy choruses.—Tucson Star.

## PORTO RICO LINER SEARCHED BY FRENCH

(Associated Press)  
SAN JUAN, Dec. 9.—The Porto Rico liner Caomo was taken from the liner Carolina last night. It is reported that the Descartes was looking for Waidemar Hepp and John Stubbe, the German and Austrian consuls here, who are now enroute to New York.

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SAN JUAN, Dec. 9.—Chief Steward Schaefer was taken from the liner Carolina last night. It is reported that the Descartes was looking for Waidemar Hepp and John Stubbe, the German and Austrian consuls here, who are now enroute to New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Two American vessels were stopped and searched by a French cruiser, according to a cablegram received by the New York & Porto Rico line, which stated that the Caomo and Carolina were held up and searched.

## EDUCATE MEXICAN BOYS FOR GOVERNMENT

(Associated Press)  
EL PASO, Dec. 9.—Education of the Mexican schoolboys in government on the plan of the George Junior Republic, has been ordered by Governor Alvarado of Yucatan, according to advice from Mexico City received at the Carranza consulate here.

## PEACE TALK REACHES BRITISH PARLIAMENT

(Associated Press)  
LONDON, Dec. 9.—"If proposals of a serious character for a general peace are put forward by the enemy governments, either directly or thru a neutral power, they will first be discussed by the Allied governments. Until this contingency arises, I can not give any further pledge."

The foregoing was Premier Asquith's reply, made in the House of Commons today, to the request of Philip Snowden, Socialist member for Blackburn, for a pledge that no proposals for negotiations based on the evacuation of conquered territory shall be rejected by the British government without the knowledge of Parliament. Premier Asquith added:

"As soon as proposals for peace are put forward it will be the desire of the government to take Parliament into its confidence at the earliest possible moment."



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## WANT TO INTRODUCE GOOD ROADS BILL

(Associated Press)  
CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Plans for obtaining federal and state aid for a system of good roads throughout the nation were discussed today at the convention of the American Association of State Highway Officials.

A draft of a bill to be presented to Congress was reviewed. The bill proposes the establishment of a fund of \$50,000,000 for road building, half of this amount to be assumed by the nation and half by the states.

In the distribution of this fund the bill provides that one-third shall be given to each state on the basis of population; one-third on the basis of post roads in operation, and the remaining one-third to the national highways.

## SHERIFF TO EXPLAIN TAKING OVER PLANT

(Associated Press)  
PHOENIX, Dec. 9.—Sheriff J. G. Cash, of Greeley county was requested by the Arizona Corporation Commission to explain his action in taking over the control of the electric light plant of the Arizona Copper Company, at Clifton, Arizona. The commission charges that the sheriff violated the state public utilities law in taking full charge of the plant without first obtaining permission from the commission.

PROHIBITION BY STATES

MISSOURI.—This state has 81 dry counties, 16 mostly dry, and 17 mostly wet. Ten local option elections were won by the drys in 1915, two by the wets, and the result of one is still in the court for decision. During 1915 the drys added four counties to their list. Missouri has 29 cities of more than 2,500 population dry. Fifty-one per cent of the population live in dry territory. The prohibition forces are contending before the legislature for statutory prohibition or submission of the question to the people.

MONTANA.—This state will vote on prohibition in 1916. The law proposed forbids the sale of any liquor containing alcohol if it may be used as a beverage, except wine for sacramental purposes, etc. The present dry territory consists of Richland county, all of the Indian reservations, and the towns of Carvallis, Victor, Ballantine, Warden and Pompey's Pillar. The last legislative assembly enacted a law closing all saloons in the state in places having less than fifty residents within one-fourth of a mile of a saloon; another law closing saloons on Sundays until 1 p. m.; and still another law giving county commissioners discretionary power in the granting of saloon licenses in unincorporated places.

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO HOLD CONFERENCE

(Associated Press)  
BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 9.—The executive committee of the International Conference to study the basis of a durable peace will meet here Dec. 14.—April of next year has been suggested as the time for holding the conference.

## TROJAN FOOTBALL SEASON WILL CLOSE

(Special to the Yuma Daily Examiner)  
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 9.—The close of the football season for U. S. C. will come December 11, when the Trojan Varsity will meet the Whittier College eleven at Washington Park, Los Angeles. The Whittier team is fast and effective, and the game should be one of the best exhibitions of high grade football of the season. U. S. C.'s stars Kelly and Livernash, who have been out of the game for seven weeks with broken legs, will both be back in the harness for the Whittier contest.

Emotionalists claim to have discovered that the fly has a soul, and in consequence have started a movement to prevent the killing of that pest. Just about where this mollycoddledom is likely to find its limit is a matter of conjecture.—Austin American.

## BRITISH PRESS BAWLS OUT WILSON MESSAGE

(Associated Press)  
LONDON, Dec. 9.—Asserting that the Monroe doctrine, which President Wilson reasserts is the most probable cause of the next war, the Westminster Gazette says of the president's message to Congress:

"We hope from President Wilson's message that the American people are beginning to understand that this is not merely a war between Great Britain and Germany or France and Germany, but a conflict between two kinds of civilization. If this war ended in the triumph of Germany or the downfall of British sea power, the American people would discover at once that what President Wilson now describes as the aberration of a small minority had become a dangerous cancer in the heart of their state and would find also that the Monroe doctrine which the president reasserts with such vigor, has become the big storm center of world politics and the most probable cause of the next war."

The Westminster Gazette appeals to the American people to realize from their own experience what is going on in Europe, and, "if unable to help us by positive assistance, not to hinder us by asserting the neutral rights of commercial interests to the prejudice of our naval power."

The Pall Mall Gazette expresses the view that President Wilson's denunciation in his message of the activities of war plotters was too mild in general and not sufficiently discriminatory between unneutral conduct and criminal conduct. It adds:

"He even goes so far as to suggest that the acts of an assassin or a dynamiter are chiefly heinous as exhibitions of unneutral conduct and that equal censure must fall upon every American who fails to 'keep the scales of judgment even and prove himself a partisan of no nation but his own.'"

"We can not say that this theory of morals, whatever its convenience, may be in domestic politics, will increase the respect of the outside world for the official attitude of the White House. Literal reading of Dr. Wilson's message would almost suggest that he regards ex-President Roosevelt's denunciation of Miss Cavell's execution as equally heinous with the crime of last week which blew some twenty munition workers into fragments."

The newspaper adds that the president's theory of the duty of the American nation does not "become clearer when we compare his boast of making 'common cause with all partisans of liberty on this side of the sea' with his resolute indifference to the fight between liberty and tyranny upon the older continent."

## HEIRS OF AN ARABIC VICTIM ASK FOR \$30,000

(Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The heirs of Dr. E. F. Wood, of Janesville, Wis., one of the Americans lost in the Arabic disaster, will ask Germany to indemnify them for at least \$30,000. An attorney for the estate conferred at length with Secretary Lansing. The State Department and, incidentally, the German officials, have been awaiting the filing of the first claim for an indication of what might be asked, not only for the victims of the Arabic, but for Americans who lost their lives on the Lusitania.

Dr. Wood was returning from volunteer duty in the hospitals of France and England when he lost his life.

## URGES SQUARE DEAL FOR THE HOMESEAKER

A meeting of project farmers was held at Reclamation headquarters at 2 o'clock this afternoon, addressed by C. J. Blanchard, who advocated square deal for the homeseekers, as outlined in yesterday's Examiner. Many Yuma real estate men were present to learn the plans outlined by Mr. Blanchard for the settling up of Yuma lands, and all expressed a desire to co-operate in every possible way.

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